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March 4, 2021

Hon. Naomi R. Buchwald  
United States District Judge  
United States District Court  
Southern District of New York  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, New York 10007

Re: United States v. Wells and Ward, 20-CR-633 (NRB)

Dear Judge Buchwald:

I write on behalf of both defendants and with the consent of the government to request an adjournment of the status conference in this case, currently scheduled for March 11, 2020.

Two days ago, the government distributed a large tranche of discovery. Neither counsel has had a chance to analyze it yet. Moreover, Ms. Ward recently gave birth and so I have not had an opportunity to meet with her in the last several weeks to discuss the case. In light of these events, we respectfully request an adjournment of the status conference for 45 days in order to fully evaluate the discovery and to discuss it with our clients. If the Court grants the request, both defendants consent to an exclusion of time under the Speedy Trial Act to the next conference date. As noted, the government does not object to this request.

Thank you very much for your consideration.

Application granted. The status conference is adjourned until April 29, 2021 at 11:00 a.m. The Court excludes time under the Speedy Trial Act through that date. See 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A).

**SO ORDERED.**

cc: All Counsel

Respectfully submitted,

/s/

Florian Miedel  
*Attorney for Georgia Ward*

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Naomi Reice Buchwald', is written over a horizontal line.

NAOMI REICE BUCHWALD

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Dated: New York, New York  
March 5, 2021